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Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of: >
Amendment of Part 97 of the >
Commission's Rules Governing >
Amateur Radio Services > RM-7869
Regarding Repeater and >
Auxiliary Operation in the >
1.25 Meter Band >

To: The Commission

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PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

I, ALAN GINSBURG, WA6TOI, hereby respectfully submit my request to the Federal Communications Commission to NOT take action on this Petition For Rule Making, RM-7869, as submitted by the American Radio League.

The 1.25 meter band is already oversaturated in the Southern California area. The ramifications of losing the bottom two Megahertz to commercial interests coupled with the increased use due to novice access has strained the capacity of this portion of the spectrum. Throughout this confusion the 220 Spectrum Management Association of Southern California (SMA) has brilliantly handled the numerous problems encountered, to the satisfaction of most, if not all involved. The SMA should be allowed to continue so that amateur radio operators can manage their various local problems of frequency segment allocation.

In this instance the number of individuals desiring action on this petition are small compared with the numbers that will be displaced. These individuals can be served with a much smaller portion of the spectrum.

I urge you to **NOT** take action on this Petition.

Respectfully Submitted

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